

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 1997 and 1992**

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Item	Ohio	Adams	Allen	Ashland	Ashtabula	Athens	Auglaize
Total farm production expenses .....							
farms, 1997..	68 591	1 315	917	928	991	481	1 000
1992..	70 695	1 354	978	952	1 026	501	997
\$1,000, 1997..	3 608 839	21 754	45 115	40 931	30 969	6 692	67 634
1992..	3 119 014	17 091	39 799	37 878	28 384	5 910	53 890
Average per farm .....							
dollars, 1997..	52 614	16 543	49 199	44 107	31 251	13 912	67 634
1992..	44 119	12 622	40 694	39 787	27 664	11 797	54 053
Livestock and poultry purchased .....							
farms, 1997..	18 692	293	174	366	284	141	313
1992..	21 991	387	255	301	307	141	350
\$1,000, 1997..	267 858	950	2 299	2 592	1 524	134	5 606
1992..	287 297	1 311	2 705	3 449	2 312	511	6 115
Feed for livestock and poultry .....							
farms, 1997..	31 975	565	250	522	463	329	415
1992..	35 802	730	355	577	552	328	519
\$1,000, 1997..	713 397	3 815	6 600	6 683	6 525	1 152	17 114
1992..	545 008	2 960	5 212	7 854	5 627	1 066	12 015
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....							
farms, 1997..	21 937	367	164	368	367	183	301
1992..	17 756	360	192	328	313	124	354
\$1,000, 1997..	508 232	2 129	3 865	3 509	4 454	802	13 758
1992..	336 255	1 790	2 045	3 561	2 081	481	7 187
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....							
farms, 1997..	44 036	797	754	660	508	151	840
1992..	50 075	867	820	760	535	210	833
\$1,000, 1997..	237 751	1 190	3 403	2 518	1 717	115	4 194
1992..	179 519	599	2 845	1 690	1 098	131	2 839
Commercial fertilizer .....							
farms, 1997..	47 671	1 110	762	652	628	228	820
1992..	52 433	1 154	792	726	704	301	795
\$1,000, 1997..	345 896	2 632	7 171	4 453	1 919	320	7 042
1992..	305 407	1 898	5 446	3 183	2 054	484	5 932
Agricultural chemicals .....							
farms, 1997..	40 577	605	691	659	477	115	746
1992..	51 627	982	828	743	624	226	843
\$1,000, 1997..	224 526	918	4 037	2 877	1 154	112	4 903
Petroleum products .....							
farms, 1997..	189 954	688	3 293	1 838	772	91	3 106
1992..	64 360	1 238	858	890	927	464	899
\$1,000, 1997..	67 785	1 288	921	914	995	454	973
1992..	180 186	1 716	2 888	2 560	1 716	341	3 236
176 670	1 183	2 572	2 380	1 458	382	2 809	
Gasoline and gasohol .....							
farms, 1997..	51 321	1 023	668	711	727	315	732
1992..	56 861	1 161	795	853	856	370	801
\$1,000, 1997..	46 672	791	627	803	(D)	110	894
Diesel fuel .....							
farms, 1997..	53 032	619	708	1 088	518	146	869
1992..	48 146	881	710	721	704	360	680
\$1,000, 1997..	73 946	652	1 179	1 037	714	176	1 351
1992..	70 913	402	1 139	829	653	182	1 250
Natural gas .....							
farms, 1997..	2 979	6	34	51	19	—	38
1992..	3 055	8	80	60	32	13	17
\$1,000, 1997..	15 626	4	70	74	(D)	—	64
1992..	12 433	1	125	85	100	11	32
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....							
farms, 1997..	47 645	798	702	689	651	257	706
1992..	50 645	851	730	759	757	287	752
\$1,000, 1997..	43 942	269	1 012	646	151	55	927
1992..	40 292	161	599	379	188	42	659
Electricity .....							
farms, 1997..	47 360	756	707	720	729	272	690
1992..	51 576	822	754	736	825	278	748
\$1,000, 1997..	54 824	517	564	809	794	117	1 012
Hired farm labor .....							
farms, 1997..	54 020	355	672	879	824	130	956
1992..	19 017	561	180	209	342	120	257
\$1,000, 1997..	20 559	622	122	343	297	128	276
1992..	314 865	1 010	1 047	2 602	4 192	1 268	2 675
259 501	1 215	1 873	2 796	3 628	3 628	370	1 877
Contract labor .....							
farms, 1997..	4 587	172	72	78	87	31	28
1992..	4 919	208	51	78	115	45	51
\$1,000, 1997..	19 117	365	95	214	377	38	466
Repair and maintenance .....							
farms, 1997..	57 400	1 014	737	866	844	384	793
1992..	60 915	1 060	866	853	883	417	882
\$1,000, 1997..	258 610	2 353	3 250	3 937	2 583	613	4 193
1992..	227 455	1 703	3 327	3 453	2 533	687	3 732
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....							
farms, 1997..	23 037	332	413	334	222	60	502
1992..	26 255	440	479	428	372	90	475
\$1,000, 1997..	54 657	363	882	588	426	30	1 840
1992..	44 730	373	1 014	533	444	65	1 060
Interest .....							
farms, 1997..	28 926	450	439	469	325	155	472
1992..	30 967	447	472	426	385	223	507
\$1,000, 1997..	238 538	1 573	3 751	3 395	1 841	704	4 010
1992..	216 492	1 418	3 016	2 591	1 904	593	4 107
Interest paid on debt:							
Secured by real estate .....							
farms, 1997..	21 601	360	327	352	230	119	318
1992..	22 750	359	300	323	282	178	353
\$1,000, 1997..	163 868	1 208	2 477	2 484	1 272	638	2 622
1992..	152 940	1 178	2 112	1 990	1 347	510	3 040
Not secured by real estate .....							
farms, 1997..	15 117	190	251	262	140	57	291
1992..	16 692	179	291	211	254	106	266
\$1,000, 1997..	74 670	365	1 274	911	569	67	1 388
1992..	63 552	240	903	601	556	83	1 068
Cash rent .....							
farms, 1997..	18 757	181	323	349	207	52	377
1992..	19 904	147	340	300	255	120	336
\$1,000, 1997..	273 619	775	4 821	2 545	749	50	4 794
1992..	216 114	268	3 789	1 825	596	130	3 802
Property taxes paid .....							
farms, 1997..	63 031	1 199	803	897	958	463	881
1992..	64 108	1 210	866	875	962	492	890
\$1,000, 1997..	103 622	1 029	1 467	1 397	1 304	723	1 590
1992..	86 406	745	999	1 210	1 127	516	1 271
All other farm production expenses .....							
farms, 1997..	61 699	1 098	834	886	901	406	905
1992..	64 754	1 155	902	876	941	457	941
\$1,000, 1997..	321 371	2 548	2 840	3 761	4 149	975	4 959
1992..	314 430	2 163	2 925	4 054	3 586	734	4 151

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Item	Belmont	Brown	Butler	Carroll	Champaign	Clark	Clermont
Total farm production expenses .....							
farms, 1997..	625	1 378	849	685	837	671	744
1992..	603	1 493	902	688	872	732	823
\$1,000, 1997..	9 499	28 801	29 820	16 432	55 468	56 843	12 355
1992..	8 400	25 025	27 745	16 739	45 301	53 091	13 986
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	15 199	20 901	35 123	23 989	66 270	84 714
1992..	13 930	16 762	30 760	24 331	51 951	72 529	16 994
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms, 1997..	207	252	361	203	251	195
1992..	176	287	280	338	287	218	173
\$1,000, 1997..	1 139	830	3 143	533	3 042	2 627	200
1992..	982	780	3 837	1 963	3 069	6 529	1 226
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms, 1997..	427	565	514	377	451	276
1992..	386	605	528	439	474	442	394
\$1,000, 1997..	2 345	1 487	2 947	2 211	7 312	2 770	435
1992..	2 237	1 607	4 062	3 432	3 890	3 909	1 347
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms, 1997..	304	341	344	242	364	226
1992..	137	263	170	280	187	153	179
\$1,000, 1997..	1 307	1 018	1 400	1 436	5 136	1 431	283
1992..	1 412	707	1 317	2 086	1 981	1 588	757
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms, 1997..	142	803	510	377	537	409
1992..	198	948	558	396	679	520	425
\$1,000, 1997..	134	2 305	2 564	633	4 482	4 725	871
1992..	151	1 529	1 542	710	3 058	3 909	856
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms, 1997..	311	1 175	561	447	577	407
1992..	339	1 262	526	425	665	543	512
\$1,000, 1997..	489	5 242	3 103	1 088	6 507	6 053	1 711
1992..	436	4 696	2 753	1 045	5 256	4 922	1 662
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms, 1997..	129	766	450	323	508	409
1992..	247	1 223	628	340	659	526	508
\$1,000, 1997..	65	2 660	1 884	574	4 792	3 800	766
Petroleum products .....	farms, 1997..	172	2 091	1 617	491	4 153	3 312
1992..	603	1 316	820	665	782	649	700
\$1,000, 1997..	580	1 432	854	652	841	720	767
1992..	597	1 774	1 555	956	2 786	2 859	841
\$1,000, 1997..	646	2 089	1 626	1 035	2 890	2 724	874
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms, 1997..	425	1 071	643	481	613	477
1992..	472	1 207	725	500	687	575	586
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	570	409	266	594	604	249
Diesel fuel .....	farms, 1997..	246	736	499	403	664	615
1992..	454	960	598	544	619	520	538
\$1,000, 1997..	398	960	522	411	588	462	486
1992..	283	752	703	541	1 215	1 052	387
Natural gas .....	farms, 1997..	6	38	21	3	12	27
1992..	14	29	26	16	22	35	4
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	104	85	3	73	362	40
1992..	29	25	40	28	39	260	2
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms, 1997..	391	853	571	462	633	455
1992..	354	1 079	601	455	662	581	472
\$1,000, 1997..	62	348	358	146	903	841	167
1992..	72	438	394	171	981	750	200
Electricity .....	farms, 1997..	465	847	563	514	637	499
1992..	445	1 018	626	476	626	471	458
\$1,000, 1997..	213	541	551	362	856	851	226
Hired farm labor .....	farms, 1997..	237	371	543	488	877	782
1992..	124	453	227	136	275	181	234
\$1,000, 1997..	119	630	280	239	298	206	250
1992..	670	1 351	1 954	2 905	2 917	10 720	1 428
Contract labor .....	farms, 1997..	412	1 621	1 641	1 577	2 667	8 184
1992..	34	96	46	39	47	34	109
\$1,000, 1997..	22	183	65	73	47	46	66
Repair and maintenance .....	farms, 1997..	14	177	130	320	261	127
1992..	518	1 080	738	575	750	582	581
\$1,000, 1997..	556	1 207	781	571	708	652	669
1992..	1 010	2 781	2 733	2 303	3 967	3 760	1 391
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....	farms, 1997..	899	2 240	2 400	1 588	3 418	3 446
1992..	111	397	258	146	343	266	182
\$1,000, 1997..	144	463	330	218	408	270	135
1992..	175	740	266	381	1 184	925	157
Interest .....	farms, 1997..	112	337	323	178	804	811
1992..	210	553	261	210	451	355	199
\$1,000, 1997..	192	573	311	302	464	358	139
1992..	660	2 461	2 082	926	4 119	4 118	1 160
\$1,000, 1997..	367	2 525	2 540	1 284	3 895	3 949	795
Interest paid on debt:							
Secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	155	370	192	181	316	255
1992..	124	452	242	233	307	225	104
\$1,000, 1997..	512	1 703	1 526	800	2 439	2 490	1 038
1992..	245	1 774	1 814	973	2 703	2 405	613
Not secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	94	331	150	63	279	206
1992..	121	304	157	176	305	252	57
\$1,000, 1997..	148	758	556	127	1 680	1 628	123
1992..	123	751	725	311	1 192	1 544	183
Cash rent .....	farms, 1997..	103	244	238	150	288	246
1992..	118	273	214	173	298	312	107
\$1,000, 1997..	436	2 152	2 877	512	6 444	5 874	882
1992..	142	1 431	1 675	502	6 205	5 187	916
Property taxes paid .....	farms, 1997..	588	1 287	790	638	749	600
1992..	585	1 343	810	657	764	627	771
\$1,000, 1997..	581	1 594	1 424	656	1 433	1 431	825
1992..	483	1 204	1 135	668	1 041	984	903
All other farm production expenses .....	farms, 1997..	516	1 219	766	576	762	591
1992..	553	1 324	845	597	776	696	733
\$1,000, 1997..	914	2 706	2 608	2 073	5 366	6 202	1 217
1992..	1 109	2 235	1 923	1 664	3 963	4 349	1 288

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Item	Clinton	Columbiana	Coshocton	Crawford	Cuyahoga	Darke	Defiance
Total farm production expenses .....							
farms, 1997..	760	979	865	711	118	1 728	861
1992..	784	979	810	766	132	1 905	830
\$1,000, 1997..	46 572	36 041	31 125	56 943	12 716	216 073	31 374
1992..	43 345	35 580	23 528	45 581	13 696	162 263	29 831
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	61 279	36 814	35 983	80 089	107 766	125 042
1992..	55 286	36 343	29 046	59 506	103 755	85 177	35 941
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms, 1997..	136	244	379	190	11	572
1992..	187	350	276	295	33	627	128
\$1,000, 1997..	718	2 652	2 987	3 705	(D)	26 629	1 889
1992..	2 251	2 364	1 593	4 177	(D)	21 091	4 276
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms, 1997..	228	571	549	279	25	782
1992..	351	591	543	349	55	869	223
\$1,000, 1997..	2 842	7 827	5 423	6 097	120	106 571	4 212
1992..	4 504	5 897	5 364	3 954	176	65 142	3 803
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms, 1997..	153	369	394	194	17	597
1992..	138	344	272	166	32	424	156
\$1,000, 1997..	1 107	5 228	3 335	2 657	(D)	98 236	90
1992..	1 305	2 605	3 063	1 920	64	48 697	2 809
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms, 1997..	580	580	509	574	57	1 411
1992..	625	583	571	673	68	1 599	619
\$1,000, 1997..	4 530	1 968	1 739	4 578	2 015	5 875	2 713
1992..	3 158	2 403	1 101	3 052	1 748	4 908	2 241
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms, 1997..	603	646	533	590	60	1 368
1992..	648	640	561	643	89	1 520	595
\$1,000, 1997..	7 640	2 190	2 593	8 012	98	10 364	680
1992..	6 797	2 378	2 191	6 797	123	9 014	4 443
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms, 1997..	538	512	456	565	59	1 387
1992..	602	657	591	616	95	1 516	624
\$1,000, 1997..	4 773	1 499	1 550	4 806	91	7 186	680
Petroleum products .....	farms, 1997..	3 848	1 198	912	3 995	84	5 509
1992..	751	928	819	683	108	1 648	3 161
\$1,000, 1997..	2 629	1 770	1 702	3 449	891	5 179	741
1992..	3 016	2 041	1 608	3 040	1 207	5 500	804
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms, 1997..	553	788	665	569	89	1 347
1992..	638	753	614	674	103	1 520	652
\$1,000, 1997..	528	574	457	688	157	1 378	703
Diesel fuel .....	farms, 1997..	577	624	606	566	74	1 237
1992..	535	651	515	536	63	1 393	575
\$1,000, 1997..	1 137	665	745	1 517	83	2 237	658
1992..	1 321	747	616	1 281	52	2 322	920
Natural gas .....	farms, 1997..	29	35	60	24	25	42
1992..	68	31	63	13	42	110	37
\$1,000, 1997..	80	248	118	47	534	197	9
1992..	134	335	105	60	756	154	56
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms, 1997..	568	650	623	573	90	1 278
1992..	616	664	610	648	89	1 446	616
\$1,000, 1997..	885	283	382	1 197	116	1 367	587
1992..	754	282	298	918	268	1 518	448
Electricity .....	farms, 1997..	487	647	617	552	79	1 323
1992..	572	739	581	646	104	1 479	567
\$1,000, 1997..	565	875	441	635	292	2 540	560
Hired farm labor .....	farms, 1997..	667	1 079	476	568	314	2 550
1992..	225	317	214	190	63	518	461
\$1,000, 1997..	238	271	164	178	70	501	174
1992..	2 194	4 584	2 895	3 130	4 506	8 428	148
Contract labor .....	farms, 1997..	66	79	50	35	12	110
1992..	65	49	44	76	15	105	47
\$1,000, 1997..	139	506	100	373	101	167	20
Repair and maintenance .....	farms, 1997..	648	817	776	671	95	1 482
1992..	688	812	719	709	119	1 674	720
\$1,000, 1997..	3 972	3 030	2 722	4 174	864	9 395	655
1992..	3 550	2 861	2 293	3 319	754	7 883	3 037
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....	farms, 1997..	387	297	269	253	14	713
1992..	285	306	185	362	24	847	248
\$1,000, 1997..	1 519	532	505	647	(D)	1 610	366
1992..	685	543	232	631	33	1 538	446
Interest .....	farms, 1997..	331	398	382	363	42	937
1992..	379	414	399	408	42	1 074	373
\$1,000, 1997..	3 986	2 532	2 653	4 198	344	9 230	422
1992..	3 825	2 873	1 726	3 961	523	8 873	2 652
Interest paid on debt:							
Secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	259	311	309	294	32	715
1992..	259	304	299	315	34	795	287
\$1,000, 1997..	2 346	1 830	1 936	2 919	157	7 024	342
1992..	2 640	2 048	1 293	2 452	282	6 761	1 671
Not secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	168	185	189	205	15	513
1992..	256	234	171	238	18	533	195
\$1,000, 1997..	1 640	702	717	1 279	187	2 207	224
1992..	1 184	826	433	1 509	241	2 112	981
Cash rent .....	farms, 1997..	268	269	220	321	20	546
1992..	241	233	169	275	18	559	195
\$1,000, 1997..	5 974	1 029	1 510	8 107	75	8 989	234
1992..	4 522	1 228	1 178	5 714	42	6 127	1 374
Property taxes paid .....	farms, 1997..	652	926	825	633	112	1 545
1992..	670	891	782	655	116	1 734	793
\$1,000, 1997..	1 337	1 287	1 064	1 431	401	2 957	762
1992..	1 063	1 023	874	981	325	2 484	1 156
All other farm production expenses .....	farms, 1997..	679	871	776	684	112	1 577
1992..	714	907	767	732	130	1 754	784
\$1,000, 1997..	3 754	3 761	3 242	3 603	2 283	10 950	724
1992..	3 138	4 369	2 065	3 632	2 257	13 422	2 642
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Item	Delaware	Erie	Fairfield	Fayette	Franklin	Fulton	Gallia
Total farm production expenses .....							
farms, 1997..	628	380	1 025	519	406	795	776
1992..	686	406	1 059	557	483	848	796
\$1,000, 1997..	41 320	25 976	40 018	48 722	26 629	69 475	12 909
1992..	33 384	20 887	35 843	41 772	31 810	70 549	11 455
Average per farm .....							
dollars, 1997..	65 796	68 357	39 042	93 876	65 589	87 390	16 635
1992..	48 664	51 447	33 846	74 994	65 858	83 195	14 391
Livestock and poultry purchased .....							
farms, 1997..	152	123	300	155	97	230	267
1992..	162	121	389	163	117	280	170
\$1,000, 1997..	1 687	1 156	2 212	914	515	10 605	1 674
1992..	1 497	743	3 511	1 834	(D)	14 858	1 560
Feed for livestock and poultry .....							
farms, 1997..	318	184	514	231	173	318	487
1992..	325	159	668	266	180	346	466
\$1,000, 1997..	3 020	2 125	3 507	2 001	975	8 036	1 731
1992..	1 789	1 096	3 373	3 720	1 286	7 878	2 169
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....							
farms, 1997..	238	117	377	123	116	236	282
1992..	156	60	314	124	93	148	191
\$1,000, 1997..	1 709	1 269	2 381	905	629	2 779	971
1992..	697	546	2 041	1 702	606	2 653	1 001
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....							
farms, 1997..	401	280	613	406	212	645	385
1992..	449	351	686	460	296	728	407
\$1,000, 1997..	7 041	2 784	3 290	4 552	3 784	4 429	409
1992..	2 466	1 354	2 522	3 231	2 958	4 005	223
Commercial fertilizer .....							
farms, 1997..	412	255	651	398	246	663	536
1992..	390	332	767	430	302	718	630
\$1,000, 1997..	4 036	2 434	5 474	8 702	2 187	7 530	1 155
1992..	3 712	2 828	4 618	6 412	2 271	6 575	873
Agricultural chemicals .....							
farms, 1997..	407	273	586	365	242	617	291
1992..	441	353	717	422	327	709	509
\$1,000, 1997..	2 774	2 028	3 354	5 142	1 418	4 614	296
Petroleum products .....							
farms, 1997..	2 664	1 721	2 858	4 053	1 627	4 091	247
1992..	572	363	978	481	376	778	705
\$1,000, 1997..	2 018	1 649	2 648	2 937	1 887	3 490	825
1992..	2 168	1 566	2 560	2 852	1 819	3 688	746
Gasoline and gasohol .....							
farms, 1997..	479	308	743	373	294	628	538
1992..	576	363	887	447	372	632	589
\$1,000, 1997..	460	414	738	687	386	738	351
Diesel fuel .....							
farms, 1997..	461	280	645	364	258	606	569
1992..	434	283	672	457	314	542	553
\$1,000, 1997..	734	677	1 040	1 452	396	1 270	338
1992..	887	580	970	1 238	641	1 328	313
Natural gas .....							
farms, 1997..	30	27	42	27	16	76	9
1992..	49	18	41	45	18	49	15
\$1,000, 1997..	104	222	156	52	811	242	9
1992..	139	108	114	180	453	160	8
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....							
farms, 1997..	380	302	663	394	300	631	555
1992..	531	296	778	477	357	708	507
\$1,000, 1997..	720	336	713	745	293	1 240	127
1992..	592	435	579	651	284	1 443	140
Electricity .....							
farms, 1997..	471	264	643	386	293	652	535
1992..	489	304	766	464	364	742	547
\$1,000, 1997..	512	514	605	651	419	911	270
Hired farm labor .....							
farms, 1997..	477	442	665	620	588	976	264
1992..	233	114	349	244	103	230	338
\$1,000, 1997..	186	141	355	186	203	296	291
1992..	5 450	3 393	3 027	2 537	5 060	3 885	1 167
Contract labor .....							
farms, 1997..	53	25	59	29	37	40	71
1992..	64	17	118	47	9	38	88
\$1,000, 1997..	416	101	268	109	875	77	255
Repair and maintenance .....							
farms, 1997..	181	55	120	62	(D)	249	112
1992..	554	347	837	392	339	702	595
\$1,000, 1997..	592	364	950	486	413	754	705
1992..	2 496	2 104	3 656	3 434	2 048	3 934	1 357
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....							
farms, 1997..	258	151	304	190	99	401	205
1992..	277	162	369	245	149	400	177
\$1,000, 1997..	600	361	710	1 045	334	1 358	225
1992..	492	396	854	834	277	885	114
Interest .....							
farms, 1997..	297	166	358	323	152	470	292
1992..	327	196	367	305	193	482	259
\$1,000, 1997..	2 645	1 474	2 977	4 234	1 590	4 996	1 033
1992..	2 588	1 314	2 468	3 596	1 386	4 605	1 070
Interest paid on debt:							
Secured by real estate .....							
farms, 1997..	230	117	221	213	104	352	239
1992..	245	133	234	206	132	344	215
\$1,000, 1997..	1 619	938	2 170	2 766	915	3 038	752
1992..	1 973	870	1 829	2 360	956	2 749	836
Not secured by real estate .....							
farms, 1997..	142	111	221	191	65	319	131
1992..	145	116	212	184	112	304	137
\$1,000, 1997..	1 026	537	806	1 468	676	1 958	281
1992..	615	444	638	1 237	430	1 856	234
Cash rent .....							
farms, 1997..	200	162	237	208	118	341	116
1992..	261	226	251	178	147	433	85
\$1,000, 1997..	4 387	2 498	3 261	7 042	1 786	8 944	507
1992..	4 637	2 860	2 749	5 180	2 325	9 422	182
Property taxes paid .....							
farms, 1997..	596	353	935	429	372	718	750
1992..	617	385	936	482	430	741	770
\$1,000, 1997..	1 133	762	1 356	1 194	791	1 512	571
1992..	1 203	736	1 324	976	920	1 266	539
All other farm production expenses .....							
farms, 1997..	595	348	949	482	388	757	680
1992..	666	399	983	537	430	803	663
\$1,000, 1997..	3 106	2 591	3 674	4 226	2 959	5 153	1 434
1992..	3 252	2 044	3 174	3 258	5 836	4 416	1 191

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Item	Geauga	Greene	Guernsey	Hamilton	Hancock	Hardin	Harrison
Total farm production expenses .....							
farms, 1997..	663	764	803	302	979	837	423
1992..	623	835	770	313	1 032	896	392
\$1,000, 1997..	15 303	42 123	9 149	11 950	55 306	77 085	7 096
1992..	13 542	41 262	8 890	12 851	46 400	41 341	7 388
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	23 081	55 135	11 393	39 568	56 492	92 097
1992..	21 736	49 416	11 545	41 058	44 961	46 140	16 776
1992..							18 848
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms, 1997..	206	135	244	29	176	124
1992..	306	281	246	79	185	210	144
\$1,000, 1997..	1 354	1 311	707	628	2 184	8 893	1 239
1992..	1 252	2 800	827	1 107	1 899	3 256	596
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms, 1997..	401	331	494	133	255	203
1992..	461	386	476	150	255	301	248
\$1,000, 1997..	2 198	2 901	1 348	426	4 185	22 364	908
1992..	2 700	3 386	1 799	619	3 693	2 908	1 600
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms, 1997..	254	189	266	45	183	169
1992..	265	190	155	59	122	138	147
\$1,000, 1997..	1 162	1 345	798	121	2 223	19 973	454
1992..	1 219	1 720	908	75	1 918	1 222	1 034
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms, 1997..	368	526	251	175	868	649
1992..	455	610	292	138	955	792	191
\$1,000, 1997..	950	4 001	358	1 048	4 833	3 829	96
1992..	663	2 969	196	1 588	3 941	2 898	163
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms, 1997..	400	564	439	164	840	662
1992..	458	626	446	163	911	737	199
\$1,000, 1997..	619	5 424	1 051	629	8 817	6 604	395
1992..	621	5 142	585	539	8 081	6 027	395
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms, 1997..	302	551	182	120	823	546
1992..	441	622	407	234	914	780	206
\$1,000, 1997..	343	3 768	281	259	5 414	4 232	245
Petroleum products .....	farms, 1997..	235	3 077	167	332	4 609	4 131
1992..	623	712	721	288	946	794	393
\$1,000, 1997..	583	815	729	279	987	872	362
1992..	819	2 163	769	750	3 525	3 024	506
1992..	786	2 488	570	867	3 469	2 832	501
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms, 1997..	550	534	502	264	788	657
1992..	533	645	543	244	813	740	311
\$1,000, 1997..	261	528	185	128	870	766	174
Diesel fuel .....	farms, 1997..	339	634	216	197	970	766
1992..	303	447	585	121	798	605	252
\$1,000, 1997..	249	564	594	124	827	623	294
1992..	219	974	494	124	1 678	1 301	229
1992..	193	1 140	247	113	1 669	1 206	264
Natural gas .....	farms, 1997..	28	16	22	25	29	20
1992..	20	47	18	37	27	45	1
\$1,000, 1997..	207	101	10	305	48	145	16
1992..	158	88	7	445	77	108	(D)
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms, 1997..	381	495	475	160	810	697
1992..	361	596	432	175	844	686	195
\$1,000, 1997..	132	559	79	192	928	811	87
1992..	95	626	100	112	753	754	(D)
Electricity .....	farms, 1997..	420	533	503	193	733	515
1992..	468	626	577	207	845	685	264
\$1,000, 1997..	388	631	200	222	562	828	150
Hired farm labor .....	farms, 1997..	407	589	270	299	579	507
1992..	190	210	121	91	210	197	34
\$1,000, 1997..	170	283	193	105	231	264	100
1992..	1 960	3 542	346	3 994	1 892	4 165	677
1 708	3 188	452	3 307	863	1 391	707	
Contract labor .....	farms, 1997..	57	85	45	31	89	47
1992..	28	78	73	18	20	74	25
\$1,000, 1997..	284	112	57	159	180	626	76
Repair and maintenance .....	farms, 1997..	501	643	624	278	816	644
1992..	508	725	673	279	907	817	322
\$1,000, 1997..	1 360	3 201	1 274	917	4 269	4 263	675
1992..	1 049	2 971	930	938	3 688	3 688	752
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....	farms, 1997..	164	298	200	27	468	348
1992..	171	308	193	57	510	361	109
\$1,000, 1997..	247	939	102	29	915	804	93
1992..	160	621	202	73	854	809	117
Interest .....	farms, 1997..	244	287	225	83	516	429
1992..	167	412	224	56	547	441	147
\$1,000, 1997..	1 239	2 918	556	553	4 926	4 448	507
1992..	863	3 195	883	531	4 434	4 131	590
Interest paid on debt:							
Secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	209	198	171	75	382	284
1992..	138	283	168	34	415	333	111
\$1,000, 1997..	1 014	1 667	484	470	3 622	2 895	401
1992..	708	2 057	712	380	3 105	3 037	284
Not secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	71	166	57	23	292	248
1992..	77	250	121	31	330	203	87
\$1,000, 1997..	225	1 251	72	83	1 304	1 553	106
1992..	154	1 138	171	152	1 329	1 094	307
Cash rent .....	farms, 1997..	128	224	109	25	341	286
1992..	226	226	185	67	340	352	81
\$1,000, 1997..	405	6 114	297	536	7 540	6 730	362
1992..	347	4 439	172	333	4 945	4 332	297
Property taxes paid .....	farms, 1997..	629	648	759	289	918	696
1992..	566	727	737	277	920	773	385
\$1,000, 1997..	1 068	1 298	837	560	1 926	1 430	447
All other farm production expenses .....	farms, 1997..	1 003	1 319	677	559	1 507	1 169
1992..	568	666	721	258	924	744	360
\$1,000, 1997..	2 067	3 799	966	1 239	1 010	824	349
1992..	1 536	4 657	1 109	1 679	3 667	3 116	722

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Item	Henry	Highland	Hocking	Holmes	Huron	Jackson	Jefferson
Total farm production expenses .....							
farms, 1997..	872	1 239	353	1 403	782	408	412
1992..	955	1 153	355	1 442	842	385	376
\$1,000, 1997..	51 158	35 809	4 361	73 590	54 355	15 843	5 566
1992..	43 711	35 487	2 538	61 194	52 879	13 883	4 841
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	58 668	28 902	12 353	52 452	69 508	38 832
1992..	45 770	30 778	7 151	42 437	62 802	36 060	13 509
							12 875
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms, 1997..	107	236	158	778	244	138
1992..	172	337	127	964	286	135	95
\$1,000, 1997..	1 561	3 206	403	8 334	2 447	(D)	514
1992..	3 237	2 801	147	8 862	2 047	632	169
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms, 1997..	185	544	264	1 155	319	248
1992..	238	554	245	1 245	410	272	250
\$1,000, 1997..	2 153	2 064	354	34 570	4 166	1 470	789
1992..	3 799	2 339	181	26 658	3 671	940	868
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms, 1997..	139	408	180	959	198	182
1992..	155	257	88	940	196	104	194
\$1,000, 1997..	1 257	1 439	182	29 077	2 378	1 224	337
1992..	2 382	1 018	60	19 339	1 697	580	481
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms, 1997..	786	823	157	973	574	140
1992..	897	856	151	1 070	655	118	171
\$1,000, 1997..	5 196	2 857	220	1 654	4 074	242	152
1992..	3 841	2 661	84	1 204	2 997	124	196
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms, 1997..	787	834	244	1 035	547	276
1992..	896	937	198	1 057	606	223	209
\$1,000, 1997..	9 081	5 186	354	2 508	6 427	653	358
1992..	6 762	6 102	246	1 860	5 066	525	343
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms, 1997..	720	711	112	954	551	87
1992..	865	894	158	1 097	627	131	160
\$1,000, 1997..	4 913	3 237	143	1 243	4 454	280	195
Petroleum products .....	farms, 1997..	830	3 500	106	986	3 948	122
1992..	947	1 155	342	1 297	746	389	402
\$1,000, 1997..	2 971	2 302	352	2 582	3 211	612	352
1992..	2 758	2 408	216	2 194	3 219	823	427
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms, 1997..	707	917	296	1 043	611	283
1992..	814	973	320	1 292	681	(D)	315
\$1,000, 1997..	652	769	151	708	847	(D)	324
Diesel fuel .....	farms, 1997..	987	841	126	871	1 015	136
1992..	709	894	273	979	577	297	316
\$1,000, 1997..	1 517	928	146	895	1 235	235	192
1992..	1 206	917	55	690	1 226	235	152
Natural gas .....	farms, 1997..	51	41	9	359	60	1
1992..	36	32	1	315	18	1	1
\$1,000, 1997..	125	82	8	554	77	(D)	(D)
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms, 1997..	52	77	(D)	326	49	(D)
1992..	708	835	205	1 034	572	261	292
\$1,000, 1997..	707	848	166	1 076	689	261	280
1992..	676	523	47	425	1 052	58	64
\$1,000, 1997..	513	573	(D)	307	929	(D)	(D)
Electricity .....	farms, 1997..	671	794	215	878	599	289
1992..	670	890	169	1 084	655	227	274
\$1,000, 1997..	621	500	96	812	807	553	143
Hired farm labor .....	farms, 1997..	623	539	55	906	961	520
1992..	185	402	103	359	178	147	114
\$1,000, 1997..	179	492	90	458	192	120	78
1992..	2 573	1 239	108	2 837	6 826	(D)	547
Contract labor .....	farms, 1997..	1 720	1 369	(D)	3 082	8 639	(D)
1992..	63	60	7	43	49	11	17
\$1,000, 1997..	48	73	11	77	14	19	21
Repair and maintenance .....	farms, 1997..	273	80	3	81	99	11
1992..	82	60	(D)	226	41	(D)	46
\$1,000, 1997..	780	1 036	299	1 187	667	346	370
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....	farms, 1997..	819	1 019	271	1 218	814	341
1992..	3 676	3 283	579	4 369	4 449	935	711
\$1,000, 1997..	3 544	3 111	317	3 674	3 885	953	613
Interest .....	farms, 1997..	380	309	83	552	304	96
1992..	500	445	72	558	306	79	54
\$1,000, 1997..	943	778	280	1 009	846	151	65
1992..	704	825	70	593	557	69	20
Interest .....	farms, 1997..	497	596	99	597	377	129
1992..	578	504	54	621	419	158	156
\$1,000, 1997..	3 702	3 939	711	3 721	3 837	710	526
1992..	3 600	2 834	181	2 094	3 242	543	461
Interest paid on debt:							
Secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	319	469	86	465	288	88
1992..	414	328	28	424	368	112	139
\$1,000, 1997..	2 245	2 875	586	2 689	2 594	511	97
1992..	2 441	1 936	88	1 499	2 444	467	435
Not secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	304	263	55	306	215	76
1992..	335	298	39	338	212	75	49
\$1,000, 1997..	1 457	1 064	125	1 032	1 243	199	52
1992..	1 159	899	92	596	798	76	135
Cash rent .....	farms, 1997..	352	258	53	331	267	37
1992..	333	292	44	265	312	77	53
\$1,000, 1997..	7 932	2 865	39	1 785	5 504	205	86
Property taxes paid .....	farms, 1997..	4 690	3 219	113	1 412	4 238	112
1992..	781	1 110	341	1 323	722	400	412
\$1,000, 1997..	1 754	1 300	405	2 497	1 252	468	369
All other farm production expenses .....	farms, 1997..	844	1 082	277	1 315	735	348
1992..	900	1 056	306	1 372	790	332	354
\$1,000, 1997..	3 809	2 972	313	5 588	5 955	1 759	652
1992..	3 011	2 718	365	5 539	9 317	2 972	730

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Item	Knox	Lake	Lawrence	Licking	Logan	Lorain	Lucas
Total farm production expenses .....							
farms, 1997..	1 103	276	490	1 218	894	777	385
1992..	1 103	271	511	1 255	807	849	411
\$1,000, 1997..	49 054	55 122	3 300	109 335	70 844	66 376	48 748
1992..	47 355	39 656	5 196	83 660	46 240	59 386	29 214
Average per farm .....							
dollars, 1997..	44 473	199 716	6 734	89 766	79 244	85 426	126 619
1992..	42 933	146 332	10 168	66 661	57 299	69 948	71 079
Livestock and poultry purchased .....							
farms, 1997..	340	49	107	363	285	115	48
1992..	401	25	84	494	235	191	48
\$1,000, 1997..	9 485	259	82	3 122	7 837	2 056	2 553
1992..	10 341	99	353	12 946	2 992	1 762	954
Feed for livestock and poultry .....							
farms, 1997..	624	69	260	678	477	205	92
1992..	650	89	280	808	368	316	90
\$1,000, 1997..	5 140	280	449	35 623	19 817	2 849	7 780
1992..	7 791	211	773	31 845	8 961	2 994	1 023
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....							
farms, 1997..	404	39	177	469	320	154	60
1992..	343	53	76	357	198	131	59
\$1,000, 1997..	2 838	86	301	2 831	5 861	1 682	(D)
1992..	4 609	157	120	(D)	5 889	1 665	541
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....							
farms, 1997..	689	149	215	647	553	537	298
1992..	745	147	274	717	627	634	311
\$1,000, 1997..	2 830	4 776	88	3 081	3 060	8 687	3 420
1992..	1 872	2 441	88	2 486	2 761	6 407	2 465
Commercial fertilizer .....							
farms, 1997..	648	158	329	701	562	582	252
1992..	674	194	359	764	608	617	282
\$1,000, 1997..	4 379	830	287	5 022	4 790	3 078	2 871
1992..	3 530	706	314	3 807	4 860	3 022	2 264
Agricultural chemicals .....							
farms, 1997..	579	140	169	632	537	516	242
1992..	573	213	257	831	627	638	360
\$1,000, 1997..	3 227	722	86	3 616	3 421	2 816	2 251
Petroleum products .....							
farms, 1997..	2 463	786	77	2 740	3 223	2 637	1 876
1992..	1 034	261	452	1 126	751	751	366
\$1,000, 1997..	1 019	269	479	1 218	774	819	394
1992..	2 684	1 832	317	3 397	2 598	4 268	2 825
2 572	1 063	369	2 815	2 815	2 625	4 348	2 148
Gasoline and gasohol .....							
farms, 1997..	872	197	317	913	610	618	340
1992..	882	220	406	1 020	684	766	340
\$1,000, 1997..	775	431	112	705	623	845	535
Diesel fuel .....							
farms, 1997..	687	377	170	892	649	1 079	391
1992..	721	146	336	815	508	600	242
\$1,000, 1997..	1 093	267	156	1 518	971	943	719
1992..	1 030	255	150	961	1 012	872	683
Natural gas .....							
farms, 1997..	95	57	7	28	12	58	40
1992..	85	35	4	50	34	82	40
\$1,000, 1997..	173	998	7	432	57	1 794	1 175
1992..	164	296	6	219	120	1 831	759
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....							
farms, 1997..	784	198	321	785	561	595	296
1992..	692	200	291	895	623	610	318
\$1,000, 1997..	643	135	42	742	948	686	396
1992..	691	135	44	742	845	566	315
Electricity .....							
farms, 1997..	749	166	314	786	574	522	291
1992..	822	192	303	857	623	633	277
\$1,000, 1997..	716	543	117	1 753	976	1 139	841
Hired farm labor .....							
farms, 1997..	681	409	129	803	792	1 272	580
1992..	272	128	211	257	247	244	108
\$1,000, 1997..	295	141	202	277	251	352	90
1992..	3 075	29 402	150	17 844	7 866	15 814	10 022
Contract labor .....							
farms, 1997..	55	36	50	116	63	57	29
1992..	84	34	78	71	92	52	33
\$1,000, 1997..	349	148	35	324	100	697	472
Repair and maintenance .....							
farms, 1997..	316	76	56	203	145	118	184
1992..	924	189	382	1 054	654	715	339
\$1,000, 1997..	992	237	372	1 079	639	780	352
1992..	4 046	1 583	376	8 428	3 952	4 767	2 585
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....							
farms, 1997..	3 381	1 507	665	4 155	3 037	4 082	1 887
1992..	319	41	92	333	363	220	179
\$1,000, 1997..	449	58	66	534	369	235	154
1992..	871	255	60	1 085	1 262	385	1 041
Interest .....							
farms, 1997..	496	72	118	426	410	309	182
1992..	530	68	139	545	422	277	129
\$1,000, 1997..	3 257	2 228	383	2 901	4 791	4 286	1 661
1992..	3 740	1 716	573	4 035	3 771	3 362	1 149
Interest paid on debt:							
Secured by real estate .....							
farms, 1997..	403	62	92	343	334	196	121
1992..	424	47	137	421	334	181	108
\$1,000, 1997..	2 380	1 430	348	1 996	3 492	2 428	1 074
1992..	2 840	816	477	3 148	2 555	2 529	818
Not secured by real estate .....							
farms, 1997..	228	26	38	194	225	189	123
1992..	247	39	59	256	243	163	63
\$1,000, 1997..	878	797	36	905	1 299	1 858	587
1992..	900	900	95	887	1 216	833	330
Cash rent .....							
farms, 1997..	296	28	34	289	243	245	159
1992..	278	82	75	309	189	214	193
\$1,000, 1997..	3 167	784	23	3 704	4 009	2 339	3 802
Property taxes paid .....							
farms, 1997..	2 101	481	87	3 096	3 924	1 992	2 515
1992..	1 029	269	469	1 126	860	726	333
\$1,000, 1997..	1 037	245	445	1 133	740	794	354
1992..	1 743	637	341	2 300	1 541	1 791	789
All other farm production expenses .....							
farms, 1997..	1 531	407	361	1 476	1 070	1 223	689
1992..	987	253	419	1 115	759	692	355
\$1,000, 1997..	1 011	251	438	1 149	760	816	347
1992..	4 085	10 843	505	17 134	4 825	11 406	5 836
\$1,000, 1997..	4 071	7 798	705	7 602	4 370	13 614	4 302

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Item	Madison	Mahoning	Marion	Medina	Meigs	Mercer	Miami	Monroe
Total farm production expenses .....								
farms, 1997..	667	541	543	851	491	1 254	985	590
1992..	664	579	595	906	494	1 394	1 016	627
\$1,000, 1997..	54 842	26 210	50 211	27 401	9 561	234 829	43 592	7 531
1992..	49 778	23 452	38 513	24 243	9 458	150 923	43 439	7 046
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	82 222	48 448	92 469	32 199	19 472	187 264	44 256
1992..	74 968	40 504	64 728	26 759	19 146	108 266	42 755	11 237
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms, 1997..	178	148	118	229	122	543	177
1992..	214	198	148	275	149	593	283	214
\$1,000, 1997..	1 956	2 613	3 100	1 488	512	30 822	1 732	532
1992..	3 611	1 783	2 418	1 190	900	20 196	3 405	613
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms, 1997..	279	311	176	398	299	619	340
1992..	322	316	251	482	280	805	389	469
\$1,000, 1997..	3 440	4 431	3 426	3 356	824	133 744	4 348	2 065
1992..	3 605	3 923	3 917	3 780	1 335	69 737	4 196	2 306
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms, 1997..	202	226	142	326	197	507	204
1992..	164	205	148	229	76	585	176	162
\$1,000, 1997..	2 263	3 030	2 162	1 908	511	121 275	2 411	782
1992..	2 311	2 242	1 613	1 633	487	56 885	1 406	386
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms, 1997..	510	344	400	540	158	1 030	753
1992..	537	393	491	535	238	1 166	879	184
\$1,000, 1997..	4 826	852	3 733	1 591	582	5 032	4 250	85
1992..	3 592	776	2 692	1 111	341	3 837	2 911	159
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms, 1997..	514	366	386	553	266	1 012	818
1992..	516	380	464	616	321	1 127	829	385
\$1,000, 1997..	8 345	1 562	7 888	1 690	643	9 191	5 468	409
1992..	7 640	1 458	5 335	1 758	537	8 083	5 283	437
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms, 1997..	471	325	381	476	140	945	773
1992..	528	419	507	615	321	1 158	844	267
\$1,000, 1997..	5 729	1 079	5 559	1 442	222	4 406	4 403	91
Petroleum products .....	farms, 1997..	4 327	782	3 893	893	232	3 703	3 400
1992..	595	507	515	813	473	1 182	936	551
\$1,000, 1997..	3 147	1 441	3 049	1 661	952	5 150	2 496	506
1992..	3 004	1 102	2 667	1 466	667	4 816	2 942	515
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms, 1997..	483	389	470	708	323	880	765
1992..	531	418	541	678	388	1 080	763	537
\$1,000, 1997..	650	269	681	460	255	1 213	594	220
Diesel fuel .....	farms, 1997..	832	357	738	535	324	1 290	689
1992..	465	433	372	534	347	955	641	401
\$1,000, 1997..	1 370	666	1 347	604	314	1 098	714	351
1992..	1 403	449	1 138	547	177	2 283	986	197
Natural gas .....	farms, 1997..	9	8	12	63	23	49	47
1992..	36	18	14	33	19	55	27	16
\$1,000, 1997..	35	336	89	294	56	81	131	32
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms, 1997..	530	359	447	581	371	1 048	657
1992..	468	402	463	528	290	1 144	709	455
\$1,000, 1997..	1 092	171	931	303	364	1 573	784	57
1992..	706	188	690	226	150	1 458	846	51
Electricity .....	farms, 1997..	538	393	399	596	316	1 046	720
1992..	538	430	520	712	296	1 192	691	431
\$1,000, 1997..	690	649	551	498	228	3 029	722	235
Hired farm labor .....	farms, 1997..	720	653	496	673	177	2 380	736
1992..	207	155	150	287	149	425	226	162
\$1,000, 1997..	232	164	191	282	164	464	247	188
1992..	2 597	4 750	2 152	3 749	2 376	5 233	1 684	383
Contract labor .....	farms, 1997..	44	41	27	51	26	90	54
1992..	25	21	40	72	45	143	73	35
\$1,000, 1997..	154	62	46	82	33	224	229	32
Repair and maintenance .....	farms, 1997..	596	464	481	748	434	1 154	756
1992..	576	513	475	806	437	1 203	837	571
\$1,000, 1997..	3 924	1 840	3 409	2 514	802	7 926	3 944	1 137
1992..	3 324	2 035	2 528	2 388	716	6 190	3 946	682
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....	farms, 1997..	378	194	206	307	125	639	398
1992..	309	235	253	285	66	606	372	125
\$1,000, 1997..	1 267	405	811	743	79	1 649	808	75
1992..	1 030	329	568	439	127	1 121	506	127
Interest .....	farms, 1997..	367	230	316	245	131	677	429
1992..	348	171	344	342	169	823	460	196
\$1,000, 1997..	4 885	1 207	4 300	1 892	694	8 025	3 763	397
1992..	3 616	1 292	3 289	1 708	852	7 348	3 678	322
Interest paid on debt:								
Secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	247	158	229	206	110	559	324
1992..	225	136	261	226	113	673	329	118
\$1,000, 1997..	2 887	878	2 917	1 361	457	6 279	2 565	283
1992..	2 459	953	2 259	1 185	631	5 663	2 570	188
Not secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	210	129	181	94	48	333	242
1992..	226	93	199	196	88	349	285	98
\$1,000, 1997..	1 998	330	1 383	531	237	1 746	1 198	114
1992..	1 157	340	1 030	523	220	1 685	1 108	135
Cash rent .....	farms, 1997..	262	140	228	176	80	450	283
1992..	279	206	179	230	67	437	298	112
\$1,000, 1997..	7 175	1 037	7 321	1 308	257	6 205	4 376	67
Property taxes paid .....	farms, 1997..	6 670	648	4 801	1 240	160	5 263	3 756
1992..	572	512	507	835	482	1 177	842	572
\$1,000, 1997..	1 701	727	1 514	1 501	454	2 798	1 389	441
1992..	1 240	681	1 034	1 131	439	2 241	1 224	442
All other farm production expenses .....	farms, 1997..	619	485	519	747	424	1 141	849
1992..	642	555	553	825	436	1 337	838	552
\$1,000, 1997..	5 006	3 553	3 351	3 886	904	11 405	3 980	1 076
1992..	4 399	3 635	2 922	3 200	1 319	11 818	3 971	778

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Item	Montgomery	Morgan	Morrow	Muskingum	Noble	Ottawa	Paulding	Perry
Total farm production expenses .....								
farms, 1997..	760	501	758	1 018	521	474	542	606
1992..	806	559	746	1 052	550	522	620	579
\$1,000, 1997..	27 984	6 734	30 476	20 489	4 152	23 414	32 334	12 455
Average per farm .....								
dollars, 1997..	24 184	9 046	29 261	23 277	4 934	19 731	37 057	11 695
1992..	36 821	13 442	40 205	20 126	7 969	49 397	59 657	20 552
Livestock and poultry purchased .....								
farms, 1997..	175	148	160	299	190	67	31	162
1992..	171	228	272	374	194	46	117	207
\$1,000, 1997..	526	340	2 092	3 180	372	360	919	1 018
Feed for livestock and poultry .....								
farms, 1997..	263	336	280	727	366	108	66	318
1992..	309	381	390	662	367	81	161	459
\$1,000, 1997..	1 390	2 090	4 054	3 483	522	1 139	4 255	1 371
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....								
farms, 1997..	1 816	1 807	3 051	4 850	851	627	5 199	1 349
1992..	171	202	202	445	246	96	41	170
\$1,000, 1997..	188	147	152	264	150	35	70	193
1992..	787	1 686	1 689	1 941	272	607	3 474	805
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....								
farms, 1997..	541	186	444	463	102	374	453	284
1992..	647	277	553	530	187	394	528	333
\$1,000, 1997..	3 054	166	2 057	981	57	1 873	2 852	707
Commercial fertilizer .....								
farms, 1997..	2 349	216	2 085	906	79	1 310	2 510	639
1992..	520	307	418	573	283	382	392	329
\$1,000, 1997..	556	337	584	584	286	411	513	384
Agricultural chemicals .....								
farms, 1997..	450	156	372	340	53	358	408	249
1992..	617	310	567	577	214	466	502	345
\$1,000, 1997..	2 291	101	2 834	696	53	2 500	3 366	693
Petroleum products .....								
farms, 1997..	1 675	319	3 014	948	175	2 434	3 082	681
1992..	718	476	675	972	477	463	481	576
\$1,000, 1997..	1 411	388	2 014	1 251	331	1 215	2 092	704
1992..	1 412	596	1 743	1 313	384	1 251	2 275	819
Gasoline and gasohol .....								
farms, 1997..	579	346	564	697	395	398	376	438
1992..	674	394	601	776	417	456	524	474
\$1,000, 1997..	357	151	509	403	146	336	(D)	290
Diesel fuel .....								
farms, 1997..	438	334	484	743	353	345	399	430
1992..	471	405	445	704	355	410	469	425
\$1,000, 1997..	503	180	808	568	135	562	933	292
1992..	531	314	728	583	166	509	1 139	349
Natural gas .....								
farms, 1997..	16	9	27	19	8	23	2	16
1992..	41	4	35	34	9	21	46	17
\$1,000, 1997..	131	9	73	40	7	87	(D)	12
1992..	138	3	74	89	3	29	101	30
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....								
farms, 1997..	456	268	499	611	315	377	395	400
1992..	457	365	546	707	317	456	491	378
\$1,000, 1997..	419	48	624	240	43	230	610	109
1992..	346	84	492	200	41	241	487	143
Electricity .....								
farms, 1997..	595	235	489	666	364	340	341	365
1992..	573	413	556	671	318	401	465	450
\$1,000, 1997..	541	128	448	393	97	353	441	187
Hired farm labor .....								
farms, 1997..	494	205	426	412	107	357	383	191
1992..	233	80	214	179	67	152	130	147
\$1,000, 1997..	193	153	125	272	126	117	217	186
1992..	4 171	499	1 525	906	113	2 454	1 716	1 135
Contract labor .....								
farms, 1997..	82	42	14	32	43	31	61	36
1992..	79	23	43	63	22	34	18	61
\$1,000, 1997..	149	71	73	260	101	215	188	26
Repair and maintenance .....								
farms, 1997..	658	411	617	818	421	442	414	458
1992..	650	439	658	880	447	454	539	511
\$1,000, 1997..	2 276	678	2 265	1 856	580	1 793	2 869	1 454
1992..	1 881	980	2 042	1 985	671	1 514	2 998	1 227
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....								
farms, 1997..	299	103	228	272	65	200	165	173
1992..	324	182	238	251	71	286	289	148
\$1,000, 1997..	593	46	533	428	71	368	450	259
1992..	622	61	364	291	25	650	454	161
Interest .....								
farms, 1997..	250	140	278	233	146	203	277	218
1992..	254	168	350	403	164	213	348	264
\$1,000, 1997..	1 970	501	2 236	1 318	433	1 750	3 074	943
1992..	1 538	533	2 475	1 328	303	1 455	2 536	1 191
Interest paid on debt:								
Secured by real estate .....								
farms, 1997..	166	121	189	153	115	144	217	157
1992..	155	120	274	269	119	151	244	216
\$1,000, 1997..	1 379	360	1 539	768	357	1 046	1 925	823
Not secured by real estate .....								
farms, 1997..	957	399	1 845	1 008	258	904	1 770	889
1992..	137	32	158	139	54	127	180	102
\$1,000, 1997..	591	141	697	550	77	704	1 149	121
1992..	581	135	630	320	45	550	766	303
Cash rent .....								
farms, 1997..	206	96	189	163	113	183	122	86
1992..	204	130	217	199	132	179	167	157
\$1,000, 1997..	2 869	142	3 211	603	136	3 892	2 071	758
Property taxes paid .....								
farms, 1997..	687	466	699	954	491	433	515	575
1992..	709	541	680	1 026	520	489	539	572
\$1,000, 1997..	1 459	323	1 010	985	374	818	896	675
All other farm production expenses .....								
farms, 1997..	686	466	710	920	464	441	512	530
1992..	697	496	692	917	452	480	599	541
\$1,000, 1997..	2 069	827	2 389	2 395	457	1 778	2 802	1 312
1992..	2 055	916	2 147	2 093	471	1 759	5 386	1 225

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Item	Pickaway	Pike	Portage	Preble	Putnam	Richland	Ross	Sandusky
Total farm production expenses .....								
farms, 1997..	702	434	717	977	1 352	907	885	796
1992..	683	378	720	1 067	1 472	921	809	850
\$1,000, 1997..	53 844	6 891	18 652	51 596	73 546	38 392	35 975	48 307
1992..	47 292	8 188	20 309	49 267	66 006	37 002	34 687	45 249
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	76 701	15 878	26 014	52 811	54 398	42 329	40 650
1992..	69 242	21 661	28 207	46 173	44 841	40 176	42 877	53 235
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms, 1997..	227	70	212	304	297	341	269
1992..	199	127	235	386	364	400	306	181
\$1,000, 1997..	2 598	389	804	5 399	4 486	3 807	2 565	1 462
1992..	2 394	904	1 345	5 591	6 425	4 885	2 889	1 102
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms, 1997..	278	212	379	483	359	534	474
1992..	299	207	374	604	462	569	525	234
\$1,000, 1997..	4 245	1 211	2 129	7 978	12 194	7 791	2 348	1 758
1992..	4 288	1 723	4 111	6 603	11 146	5 121	3 062	1 664
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms, 1997..	164	48	201	304	206	302	296
1992..	148	114	177	360	184	279	233	132
\$1,000, 1997..	2 870	535	657	3 709	7 747	4 318	1 026	969
1992..	1 055	926	2 581	2 992	4 637	3 185	1 164	1 037
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms, 1997..	489	165	316	689	1 204	568	479
1992..	567	197	411	860	1 355	664	583	747
\$1,000, 1997..	5 227	333	1 016	3 279	5 798	2 328	3 199	3 973
1992..	3 935	288	898	3 039	4 538	1 869	2 677	3 832
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms, 1997..	483	257	375	696	1 212	547	550
1992..	562	265	455	836	1 311	691	584	738
\$1,000, 1997..	8 258	650	1 388	6 476	8 591	3 238	4 739	6 910
1992..	8 255	950	1 514	6 058	7 846	3 972	4 417	6 365
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms, 1997..	457	108	298	647	1 153	533	398
1992..	541	252	420	857	1 235	706	654	708
\$1,000, 1997..	5 404	278	819	4 549	6 169	2 264	3 476	5 053
Petroleum products .....	farms, 1997..	4 233	411	866	3 710	5 059	2 352	2 726
1992..	653	398	673	909	1 301	827	802	772
\$1,000, 1997..	644	345	669	981	1 439	911	786	801
1992..	2 881	528	887	2 790	4 002	2 499	2 283	2 496
3 058	526	1 066	3 157	4 411	2 346	2 714	2 626	
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms, 1997..	469	286	547	646	1 071	639	638
1992..	536	278	558	842	1 238	812	690	675
\$1,000, 1997..	586	169	307	541	1 035	480	730	761
Diesel fuel .....	farms, 1997..	800	215	349	793	1 423	718	829
1992..	508	274	511	698	1 107	643	574	549
\$1,000, 1997..	1 472	266	391	1 089	1 737	1 072	1 091	1 094
1992..	1 404	216	445	1 233	1 928	818	1 257	1 202
Natural gas .....	farms, 1997..	37	8	14	37	45	25	24
1992..	25	10	23	29	35	37	15	12
\$1,000, 1997..	187	9	33	126	206	241	56	25
1992..	68	4	116	94	82	134	29	27
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms, 1997..	512	281	410	650	1 070	593	625
1992..	524	242	468	727	1 176	691	632	638
\$1,000, 1997..	636	84	157	1 035	1 023	706	406	616
1992..	787	92	155	1 038	979	676	599	520
Electricity .....	farms, 1997..	463	210	393	750	1 024	649	507
1992..	539	208	479	808	1 113	705	531	649
\$1,000, 1997..	533	121	373	760	1 161	645	438	727
Hired farm labor .....	farms, 1997..	673	126	601	866	977	627	459
1992..	195	64	215	277	298	181	230	139
\$1,000, 1997..	230	92	186	251	363	254	274	225
1992..	2 465	321	2 411	1 544	3 934	2 231	1 524	4 831
2 633	615	1 962	1 982	3 075	2 684	2 086	3 011	
Contract labor .....	farms, 1997..	61	8	16	72	79	58	68
1992..	42	27	83	68	48	86	17	60
\$1,000, 1997..	760	55	134	127	371	156	535	724
Repair and maintenance .....	farms, 1997..	543	367	578	846	1 178	712	729
1992..	617	290	591	934	1 267	828	697	731
\$1,000, 1997..	4 601	867	2 285	3 941	5 598	3 231	2 876	3 597
1992..	3 836	662	1 688	3 906	5 394	2 883	2 958	3 555
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....	farms, 1997..	266	90	170	358	666	239	208
1992..	287	79	280	516	653	343	305	470
\$1,000, 1997..	954	121	415	579	1 197	421	437	1 258
1992..	735	111	313	830	1 033	402	610	1 332
Interest .....	farms, 1997..	331	118	212	475	694	402	393
1992..	359	101	238	507	785	425	379	503
\$1,000, 1997..	3 778	550	1 533	4 434	6 185	2 753	2 782	3 494
1992..	3 814	569	1 544	3 713	4 501	2 518	3 101	4 350
Interest paid on debt:								
Secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	207	85	181	349	539	249	321
1992..	234	67	153	333	619	308	222	362
\$1,000, 1997..	2 746	433	1 096	3 155	4 619	1 769	1 745	2 412
1992..	2 407	395	1 203	2 594	3 489	1 494	1 858	3 250
Not secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	201	55	90	300	339	236	214
1992..	241	72	134	299	323	224	272	313
\$1,000, 1997..	1 031	118	436	1 279	1 566	985	1 037	1 083
1992..	1 407	174	341	1 120	1 013	1 024	1 244	1 101
Cash rent .....	farms, 1997..	229	50	161	189	509	169	205
1992..	277	79	244	306	491	268	196	330
\$1,000, 1997..	6 482	342	769	4 657	6 486	2 569	4 520	7 126
Property taxes paid .....	farms, 1997..	4 959	265	1 078	3 925	4 485	2 508	5 310
1992..	558	377	638	935	1 324	850	722	738
\$1,000, 1997..	1 411	440	1 145	1 555	1 705	1 261	1 046	1 191
All other farm production expenses .....	farms, 1997..	849	351	828	1 412	1 661	1 185	776
1992..	634	319	644	856	1 212	832	1 122	1 176
\$1,000, 1997..	4 248	684	2 543	3 529	5 670	3 199	3 207	3 708
1992..	3 491	667	2 246	4 410	5 022	3 518	3 197	3 827

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Item	Scioto	Seneca	Shelby	Stark	Summit	Trumbull	Tuscarawas	Union
Total farm production expenses .....								
farms, 1997..	630	1 209	991	1 085	250	785	921	810
1992..	607	1 264	971	1 120	260	844	922	805
\$1,000, 1997..	11 425	63 026	54 954	62 695	6 977	22 415	45 876	49 913
Average per farm .....								
dollars, 1997..	13 857	57 753	46 745	47 557	6 967	21 136	36 252	63 814
1992..	18 135	52 131	55 453	57 784	27 908	28 554	49 811	61 621
Livestock and poultry purchased .....								
farms, 1997..	119	318	257	339	75	198	329	203
1992..	139	362	306	391	31	317	422	198
\$1,000, 1997..	655	4 853	4 409	6 256	144	2 525	2 476	4 520
1992..	1 527	4 907	3 885	4 591	353	1 143	4 484	4 833
Feed for livestock and poultry .....								
farms, 1997..	326	440	346	546	133	366	573	335
1992..	365	495	453	617	112	492	595	340
\$1,000, 1997..	1 716	5 288	10 983	18 966	382	2 455	17 898	5 425
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....								
farms, 1997..	4 330	5 828	9 381	13 894	531	2 975	10 075	11 287
1992..	192	302	218	420	114	276	435	274
\$1,000, 1997..	1 231	3 608	4 870	16 758	216	1 435	13 832	3 150
1992..	(D)	1 807	4 673	10 300	152	1 223	8 092	1 958
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....								
farms, 1997..	318	1 014	773	703	128	458	510	519
1992..	363	1 088	882	739	129	553	525	604
\$1,000, 1997..	857	4 742	4 196	2 549	661	1 538	1 163	3 280
Commercial fertilizer .....								
farms, 1997..	487	3 921	2 760	1 584	453	1 187	902	2 519
1992..	455	950	783	727	155	457	595	537
\$1,000, 1997..	1 604	8 838	5 886	2 558	258	2 106	2 411	5 423
1992..	808	7 612	5 501	2 555	303	2 104	1 727	4 580
Agricultural chemicals .....								
farms, 1997..	256	952	758	611	125	416	472	546
1992..	397	1 024	850	791	142	576	492	629
\$1,000, 1997..	747	5 700	4 345	1 752	157	1 236	1 122	3 881
Petroleum products .....								
farms, 1997..	583	4 936	3 099	1 256	219	944	974	3 434
1992..	590	1 165	869	1 030	239	751	885	702
\$1,000, 1997..	606	1 225	946	1 078	245	823	859	794
1992..	643	3 908	2 999	2 564	414	1 116	1 967	2 741
Gasoline and gasohol .....								
farms, 1997..	396	1 017	742	853	187	536	714	579
1992..	471	946	777	913	203	677	742	620
\$1,000, 1997..	182	1 177	885	711	105	302	545	881
Diesel fuel .....								
farms, 1997..	195	1 137	768	783	172	425	554	723
1992..	434	947	722	679	144	523	643	524
\$1,000, 1997..	429	956	792	684	144	566	588	557
1992..	324	1 562	1 292	809	98	529	813	1 086
Natural gas .....								
farms, 1997..	20	30	72	81	27	39	70	6
1992..	14	14	51	59	16	29	78	18
\$1,000, 1997..	27	14	141	610	173	103	322	14
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....								
farms, 1997..	320	995	726	683	172	536	592	591
1992..	380	985	769	820	144	601	614	595
\$1,000, 1997..	110	1 155	681	434	38	182	288	760
1992..	94	863	629	369	42	223	210	977
Electricity .....								
farms, 1997..	383	975	706	822	151	508	587	522
1992..	377	982	798	816	193	608	639	618
\$1,000, 1997..	173	875	951	1 200	130	602	954	751
Hired farm labor .....								
farms, 1997..	391	779	884	1 047	228	689	808	976
1992..	163	290	249	372	83	194	262	254
\$1,000, 1997..	173	264	253	339	96	276	245	227
1992..	574	2 419	1 876	9 230	1 916	1 578	4 508	5 426
Contract labor .....								
farms, 1997..	43	27	55	99	26	82	35	62
1992..	41	52	51	80	11	68	74	69
\$1,000, 1997..	105	664	156	214	98	126	108	330
Repair and maintenance .....								
farms, 1997..	25	430	61	156	71	263	82	131
1992..	481	1 080	799	962	188	676	780	640
\$1,000, 1997..	535	1 113	884	974	204	782	768	683
1992..	1 061	5 429	4 065	4 029	949	2 455	3 073	3 514
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....								
farms, 1997..	1 029	4 727	3 736	3 509	713	2 152	2 756	3 450
Interest .....								
farms, 1997..	188	587	457	390	76	271	314	332
1992..	217	648	501	414	42	297	293	379
\$1,000, 1997..	788	5 534	3 887	3 347	488	1 885	2 094	3 519
1992..	727	4 895	3 479	2 274	245	1 592	1 976	3 582
Interest paid on debt:								
Secured by real estate .....								
farms, 1997..	120	457	373	292	57	200	240	227
1992..	165	541	389	343	33	222	189	287
\$1,000, 1997..	579	4 312	2 788	2 296	424	1 092	1 566	2 275
Not secured by real estate .....								
farms, 1997..	603	3 736	2 612	1 768	189	1 101	1 382	2 610
1992..	97	267	212	187	33	150	134	207
\$1,000, 1997..	111	253	221	170	15	158	165	185
1992..	209	1 222	1 099	1 051	64	794	528	1 244
124	1 159	866	506	55	490	594	972	
Cash rent .....								
farms, 1997..	106	420	358	334	61	207	230	280
1992..	110	376	346	358	55	248	267	294
\$1,000, 1997..	435	7 409	5 022	1 910	150	1 007	1 506	5 007
Property taxes paid .....								
farms, 1997..	218	4 300	3 858	1 760	112	665	1 322	4 441
1992..	613	1 009	907	997	215	738	870	743
\$1,000, 1997..	575	1 140	878	1 042	245	795	827	668
All other farm production expenses .....								
farms, 1997..	704	1 701	1 341	1 541	481	1 049	1 259	1 483
1992..	496	1 492	1 357	1 378	506	1 015	1 060	1 286
\$1,000, 1997..	518	1 161	893	945	219	720	822	728
1992..	542	1 173	897	990	203	796	845	739
\$1,000, 1997..	1 115	4 757	4 212	5 995	681	2 304	4 497	3 754
1992..	1 453	7 402	3 861	5 463	1 013	2 641	3 675	12 426

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Item	Van Wert	Vinton	Warren	Washington	Wayne	Williams	Wood	Wyandot
Total farm production expenses .....								
farms, 1997..	707	202	740	902	1 600	909	1 015	608
1992..	791	205	791	863	1 581	762	1 089	673
\$1,000, 1997..	48 935	1 710	26 464	17 372	123 554	40 952	65 708	47 769
Average per farm .....								
dollars, 1997..	38 548	2 117	28 697	15 244	115 851	41 018	61 416	38 325
1992..	69 214	8 465	35 762	19 259	77 222	45 052	64 737	78 568
Livestock and poultry purchased .....								
farms, 1997..	92	31	200	312	709	143	153	110
1992..	167	63	224	336	815	168	193	138
\$1,000, 1997..	1 174	(D)	1 005	1 660	12 599	6 182	2 113	2 449
Feed for livestock and poultry .....								
farms, 1997..	174	101	331	583	1 098	216	217	177
1992..	212	115	378	540	1 118	296	255	257
\$1,000, 1997..	6 341	314	1 990	2 798	42 418	3 987	3 096	8 030
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....								
farms, 1997..	3 239	161	2 731	3 156	37 008	6 057	5 557	4 600
1992..	131	66	220	340	944	173	133	155
\$1,000, 1997..	5 327	94	501	1 712	30 372	2 416	1 766	6 024
1992..	2 005	3	1 867	1 425	23 879	3 925	4 353	2 709
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....								
farms, 1997..	648	63	380	393	1 073	531	891	499
1992..	713	76	542	393	1 207	652	981	600
\$1,000, 1997..	4 707	68	3 055	1 003	4 125	3 449	7 259	3 233
Commercial fertilizer .....								
farms, 1997..	3 148	79	2 826	453	3 560	2 544	5 565	2 573
1992..	621	106	401	560	1 076	512	864	516
\$1,000, 1997..	7 686	197	2 707	1 443	5 890	4 745	10 066	6 635
Agricultural chemicals .....								
farms, 1997..	573	24	367	374	981	544	881	480
1992..	675	97	616	488	1 205	627	956	570
\$1,000, 1997..	4 942	46	2 111	760	3 341	3 350	6 897	4 333
Petroleum products .....								
farms, 1997..	4 095	171	2 142	534	3 212	2 768	5 623	3 641
1992..	677	188	684	863	1 487	805	976	583
\$1,000, 1997..	3 292	163	1 219	1 123	4 471	2 169	3 827	2 611
1992..	3 048	216	1 603	997	4 036	2 084	3 682	2 555
Gasoline and gasohol .....								
farms, 1997..	536	142	495	652	1 216	647	854	486
1992..	622	162	612	662	1 278	593	897	522
\$1,000, 1997..	615	68	433	417	1 337	566	1 096	660
Diesel fuel .....								
farms, 1997..	841	139	476	406	1 410	516	1 280	782
1992..	576	135	473	637	1 076	522	835	461
\$1,000, 1997..	542	132	461	492	963	539	803	492
1992..	1 659	73	467	429	1 960	1 026	1 683	1 119
Natural gas .....								
farms, 1997..	128	—	12	29	169	33	36	16
1992..	35	2	16	27	139	25	55	10
\$1,000, 1997..	151	—	33	110	449	92	269	95
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....								
farms, 1997..	582	128	413	545	1 153	580	770	510
1992..	615	138	547	532	1 133	579	774	536
\$1,000, 1997..	867	22	286	166	725	485	780	737
1992..	793	(D)	404	116	643	491	585	549
Electricity .....								
farms, 1997..	525	78	475	620	1 233	582	703	455
1992..	628	94	532	577	1 283	524	761	464
\$1,000, 1997..	587	32	423	400	2 109	587	856	464
Hired farm labor .....								
farms, 1997..	537	35	601	341	2 398	580	884	495
1992..	160	44	286	231	679	187	261	141
\$1,000, 1997..	201	53	237	195	567	195	242	187
1992..	1 370	(D)	3 102	1 399	10 118	1 173	6 001	2 166
Contract labor .....								
farms, 1997..	38	5	72	74	55	37	88	23
1992..	49	1	78	27	115	37	72	38
\$1,000, 1997..	410	15	143	140	271	92	252	518
Repair and maintenance .....								
farms, 1997..	498	(D)	144	54	380	147	1 040	129
1992..	606	172	576	716	1 396	711	881	526
\$1,000, 1997..	711	164	634	731	1 403	647	897	591
1992..	3 492	247	2 101	1 774	8 691	2 791	4 755	3 127
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....								
farms, 1997..	3 037	245	2 034	1 614	7 722	2 588	4 842	2 893
Interest .....								
farms, 1997..	395	68	261	312	746	571	487	343
1992..	462	56	238	303	806	430	616	322
\$1,000, 1997..	4 403	146	2 126	1 187	7 477	3 658	4 526	3 428
1992..	585	(D)	617	260	2 055	779	1 178	557
Interest paid on debt:								
Secured by real estate .....								
farms, 1997..	312	52	188	236	516	432	364	250
1992..	336	55	177	224	641	348	422	207
\$1,000, 1997..	2 895	123	1 179	978	4 932	2 338	2 978	2 390
Not secured by real estate .....								
farms, 1997..	2 094	194	1 456	588	5 156	2 092	2 844	1 611
1992..	222	38	124	133	452	298	256	196
\$1,000, 1997..	1 508	23	947	208	2 545	1 319	1 548	1 038
1992..	1 290	46	649	358	2 128	1 126	1 474	782
Cash rent .....								
farms, 1997..	236	15	172	182	591	265	416	257
1992..	243	25	225	151	536	257	342	206
\$1,000, 1997..	4 010	43	2 336	371	4 670	3 936	8 030	6 252
Property taxes paid .....								
farms, 1997..	2 983	19	2 263	429	4 337	3 280	5 480	4 399
1992..	638	179	656	877	1 422	829	876	507
\$1,000, 1997..	1 523	176	1 199	854	2 623	1 153	1 781	816
All other farm production expenses .....								
farms, 1997..	1 198	168	1 138	695	2 456	887	1 613	788
1992..	667	161	673	750	1 535	803	941	513
\$1,000, 1997..	713	181	689	826	1 503	713	1 040	571
1992..	4 413	163	2 330	2 201	12 696	2 902	5 069	3 151
\$1,000, 1997..	3 493	185	2 264	1 688	11 909	2 988	4 220	3 332